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Several small mining deals took place during the week which will be mentioned later.

If you can't be a booster, for Christ's sake and the good of the country, quit being a knocker.

Picnics at Condon Canyon are among the sports for the young folks these days.

Mrs. M. Thompson and son Frank departed for Salt Lake Wednesday morning.

Found-A check, Owner can have same by proving property and calling on Dan Lloyd.

Tonopah politicians are making an effort to have the Republican State Convention held in that town this year.

Dr. J. D. Campbell was called to Panaca the fore part of the week to attend A. O. Lee who is ill with a slight attack of pneumonia.

Several peddlers from the Dixie country loaded with vegetables and fruits came in during the week. They found ready sale for the produce.

District Attorney Chas Lee Horsey and Assessor Roeder left the fore part of the week on county business.

Ed and John Deck returned from Alameda, Calif., Monday. The boys think there is no place like old Pioche.

Frank Cook, a telegraph line-man, lost his wages at roulette in Las Vegas, Lincoln County, last week and committed suicide by the morphine route.

Strayed-From Pioche one white horse, weighs about 850 lbs, branded 2 on left thigh. A reward will be paid to party who will return horse to Rant Tower, Pioche Nevada.

Deputy Recorder Milton Lee and wife left Sunday morning for Salt Lake City where they will spend a few weeks.

Mr. Thompson, who is interested in the Horn Silver Mine near Bailey Springs, has been among us this week. He departed for Salt Lake.

Owing to the Fourth of July being near, there are but now only fifty horses hauling ore from Bristol to Caliente and about sixteen horses on the Modena road.

Lost-Pocket book containing three twenty dollar gold pieces, and county certificate for forty dollars. Finder will receive reward by calling at J. A. Clark's saloon.

Mr. Geo Arbergast departed for Salt Lake Thursday on business. He will return next week and bring down his wife who will reside here in the future.

We note from an article from the Carson Appeal in which Puddy Grimes, recorder and auditor of Nye County started to the Appeal reporter that the matter of the shortage of Tom Logan, the sheriff of Nye who was killed, has been found all right; Logan had the money on deposit in the bank when he was killed.

Col. John Weir, president of the Nevada-Utah M. & S. Corp. and Mr. Schneider will be down from Salt Lake in the near future. The Salt Lake Telegram has the following to say.-Manager Schneider is scheduled to reach the city within a few days from New York, and then another jaunt will be taken down to the Pioche camp, where final preparations will be made for the completion of the railroad to the main line, and then the tonnage from the mines of that district will be started to the local market.

## WORK BEGUN

### On The Caliente and Pioche Railroad.

Three carloads of men, scrapers and horses arrived at Caliente yesterday, and this morning began work leveling up the old grade and making new grade on the Pioche Branch.

The work began at the old school house and a party of surveyors precedes the graders.

This is the beginning of work which will land the rails in the Flat north of town within 90 days, and by that time the first train can return laden with ore from the day mine. The Nevada-Utah Company is constructing its tramway at the Day now.

#### FOURTH OF JULY MEETING.

Saturday evening the patriotic citizens met at the Court House for the purpose of discussing the celebration of the Fourth of July which is drawing near. T. J. Osborne was elected Chairman and C. W. Garrison secretary.

The chairman appointed the following committees.  
Committee on Arrangements, Mrs. J. D. Campbell Mrs. A. A. Carman E. F. Freudenthal Chas. Marriage Carl Sampson.  
Committee on Finance, J. D. Campbell A. A. Carman J. A. Nesbitt.

Music Committee  
Benj Cowan Mrs John Ewing J. B. Wheeler.  
Amusement Committee.  
W. J. Campbell Frank Varner John Ewing.

Committee on Decorations.  
Mrs E. F. Freudenthal Chas. Marriage Mrs Chas. Thompson A. A. Carman Wm Wheatley.  
Up to date the Finance committee reports as having collected the sum of \$125. and considerable more will be added to the list before the Fourth of July.

Now let all the citizens get to work and make this coming Fourth one of the best that can be had and show our neighbors that Pioche is alive and up with the times.

#### DEPUTY SHERIFF MONAHAN KILLED.

Caliente was the scene of a tragedy at 12 o'clock Tuesday night in which Deputy Sheriff J. J. Monahan was shot and killed presumably by one of the Jap laborers employed by the railroad company.

We have been unable to ascertain the particulars, further than the fact that the train crew jarred the mess-car of the little brown man, accidentally or otherwise. In the fight which followed the train crew came out second best and appealed to the officer for help. Deputy Sheriff Monahan deputized a number of men and hurried to the scene.

About all the particular we have been able to learn is that Mr. Monahan was shot while attempting to arrest the Japs, and lived only a short time after the shooting. Eight Japs are under arrest awaiting investigation.

#### VEGAS COPPER COMPANY.

Articles of Incorporation of the Vegas Copper Company were filed with the County Clerk on June 9th: It is capitalized at \$1,000,000 representing 1,000,000 shares of the par value of \$1.00 per share. The object of the Company is to buy and sell ore, and buy, sell and operate smelting and reduction works.

The directors of the Company are E. T. Maxwell, Walter R. Bracken, C. P. Squires, A. J. Summer, and M. S. Beal.

## FIRE

### All the Building on the south Corner of Main and Meadow Valley Streets Burned to the Ground.

Total Loss About \$8,500.

The usual quietness of Pioche was disturbed Wednesday morning by the clang of the fire-bells; and by the time the citizens could arouse themselves and bring the hose into action, Towers restaurant was beyond all hope. The fire broke out in the restaurant at about six o'clock, and in less than ten minutes the assay office of W. S. McRae and Walker Lee's livery stable were in flames.

Mr. Tower had a very narrow escape as the bedclothes were in flames before he was aroused, and every visible means of escape shut off, but with the assistance of Mr. E. M. Thompson from the outside, the window was broken out enabling the victim to get into the street.

A stubborn effort was made to save the buildings belonging to Dr. Campbell and Mrs. Franks, and had the supply of water been sufficient, this could have been accomplished, but here an unfortunate blunder was made, and instead of turning a stronger force of water on the already insufficient supply was practically cut off. It was then up to the fire-fighters to push the remaining buildings over and confine the fire nearer to the ground.

The fire proof building belonging to Mr. Laffan can be credited with saving the remainder of that side of the street for had that building once started nothing could have checked the flames until they had consumed the entire block.

Another fortunate condition was the quietness of the atmosphere for the slightest wind from the East would have started the opposite side of the street, and the buildings there are much worse fire-traps than the ones destroyed. As it was, sparks crossed the street, and more than once it was necessary to direct the hose and buckets that way to extinguish them as they fell on the roofs.

The volunteers worked faithfully, both in fighting the flames and rescuing portable property. While it was out of the question to save anything from the restaurant or assay office, the wagons, harness and horses from the livery stable were all removed. Most of Dr. Campbell's empty bottles were carried out, but the principal stock of drugs had not been unpacked, and of course were overlooked by the anxious rescuers.

The building occupied by the restaurant, livery stable and assay office were owned by A. W. Scott and were valued at about \$4,000.00. The other losses were about as follows. Towers, \$1,500; Mrs Franks, \$1,200.00; J. D. Campbell, \$500.00; W. S. McRae, \$500.00; Walker Lee, \$200.00. Thos. Barroclough, \$200.00; Personal property belonging to Episcopal Church \$200.00

#### Injunction Asks in a Mining Deal.

Suit was filed today by William Gelder against the Pioche Consolidated Mining company and the McCormick bank.

The plaintiff alleges that in 1901 he purchased a certain mining property from the Pioche company on certain stipulated payments, and that the deed for same was placed in escrow with the McCormick bank, and that when the last payment became due, land and on his offering to make the payment the mining company refused to accept it and instructed the bank to not deliver the deed.

The plaintiff asks an injunction to restrain both the Pioche Mining Co. and the McCormick bank from selling, transferring or otherwise disposing of the deed.-Salt Lake Telegram.

The bullion tax in Nye County the last quarter amounted to \$14,000.

## STATE NEWS.

### Items Gathered From Our Exchanges.

Judge Hawley has tendered his resignation as Judge of the U. S. Circuit Court.

An 8-foot ledge of \$75 ore was struck in the McMamara mine at Tonopah last week.

Ore assaying \$12,500 a ton has been discovered in the old Northern Bell mine at Aurora.

The ranchers of Lovelock are cutting hay and are having difficulty in securing field hands.

A car a day of \$100 rock is now being taken out of the Weiffle and Eastwood lease, Masonic district.

Indians, who have been taking trout from the Truckee with grabhooks, have been warned to stop.

A rich strike has been made in the Juniper mine at Aurora. The old camp is fast coming to the front.

Extra clerks are employed in the Recorder's office at Ely. The mining business is the cause of the increase.

Frank Cook, of Los Angeles, committed suicide at Las Vegas last week after losing his wages at gambling.

Fairview, the new mining camp of Churchill county, is now connected with the outside world by telephone.

Specimens of Round Mountain, Nye county, ore valued at \$2,000 are being shipped to New York to advertise that district.

Rock showing high gold values has been encountered in drilling for water three miles west of Goldfield, says the Review.

Mining men are examining the old hydraulic ground at Mono Lake, and it is probable that something will be done there this Summer.

The report is again in circulation to the effect that the Nevada and California road will at once be extended south from Keeler to Mohave.

The trial of F. C. Everett for the murder of foreman Malone at Mina, began at Hawthorne this week Wednesday before Judge Murphy.

For the past few weeks there has been a movement on foot to establish a National Guard armory in Sparks, and from all appearances the efforts of those who are leading this enterprise will be successful.

Gardnerville is talking of forming a vigilance committee to rid the town of worthless characters who persist in selling whisky to Indians.

The sun says that one mighty corporation is soon to own the mines of the Tonopah Mining Co. Tonopah Extension, Belmont, Jim Butler, Montana and Midway.

William Edwards, colored, was killed in one of the mines at Goldfield Monday. He was quite wealthy, having amassed considerable money in mining ventures.

An Indian and a Mexican fought in Reno the other day over a young squaw the former had married. The Indian was badly cut by a knife used by the Mexican.

F. T. Ginnis, the Oberon gambling house hold-up-man, and Freeman, the insane violinist, who escaped from the Nevada Insane Asylum last week, were captured in Winnemucca last Sunday morning and are now safely lodged in the insane asylum once more.

## NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that no fire works are to be shot off in the town on the Fourth of July. Our water supply is limited and the frame buildings are so dry that a spark might cause a serious fire.

This notice is published in ample time so that the citizens and others will not send for any works.

By order of Jake Johnson, Sheriff John Ewing, Deputy.

## Notice to Creditors

In The Fourth Judicial District Court of the State of Nevada, in and for the County of Lincoln.

In the Matter of the Estate of George Simmons, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the said estate of George Simmons, deceased, on the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1906, by the Fourth Judicial District Court of the State of Nevada, in and for the County of Lincoln, and daily qualified before said Court as such administrator on the 2nd of April, A. D. 1906.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to file the same, with proper vouchers and statutory affidavits attached, with the Clerk of said Court within forty days from the first publication of this notice.

Date of this Notice, April 22nd, 1906.

First Publication, dated May 4th 1906.

Chas Lee Horsey, Attorney for Administrator.

## Forfeiture Notice.

TO GEORGE E. COX: You are hereby notified that I have expended during the year 1905, \$100.00 in labor and improvements being done and made in order to hold said claim under the provisions of Section 2224 of the Revised Statutes of the United States and the amendments thereto, concerning annual labor upon mining claims, being the amount required to hold said lode mining claim, for the period ending on the 31st day of December, A. D. 1905.

And if within ninety days from the personal service of this notice or within ninety days after the publication thereof in accordance with said section 2224, you fail to refuse to contribute your pro rata share of the cost of said claim, your interest in the claim will become the property of the subscriber, your co-owner, who has made the expenditure required by the terms of said section 2224, your share of said \$100 being the sum of \$50.00.

C. A. SHORT

Billard & Pool Table.

C. P. CHRISTENSEN

General Merchandise

High Grade

Standard Groceries

Gents' Furnishing Goods, Ladies' Dress Goods, Boots and Shoes, Blankets and Quilts, Best Grades Overalls, Miners' Supplies, Hardware-Full stock, Tobacco and Cigars, Hay Grain and Produce.

CALIENTE, NEVADA

Clover Street.

HANG CHANG'S

RESTAURANT,

Main Street opposite Lacour Street.

Table board unexcelled.

Pioche, Nevada.

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FOURTH JUDICIAL

DISTRICT COUNTY OF

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Here is something that will make us all weep: "Tenderly she laid the silent, white form beside those that had gone before. She made no outcry, she did not weep. Such a moment was too precious to bespent in idle tears. But soon there came a time when it seemed as if nature must give way. She lifted her voice and cried loud and long. Her cry was taken up by others who were near, and it echoed and re-echoed over the grounds. Then suddenly all was still. What was the use of it all? She would lay another egg tomorrow.

## FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION



Pioche will celebrate the Fourth in a most fitting manner.

Horse Races, Foot Races, Jumping and all other kind of sports.

[A Complete Program will appear in the issue.]

## Fig Dance in the Evening.

A General Invitation is extended to all outsiders to be with us that day.

### A. S. THOMPSON Co,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers

HARDWARE, TINWARE, GLASSWARE

General Merchandise,  
Get's Furnishing Goods,

HAY, GRAIN, FLOUR, FUEL, POWDER CASES

Confectioneries, Patent Medicines,  
Steel and Other Mining Supplies,  
Wines, Liquor and Cigars.

### We Pay 8 per cent

PER ANNUM on monthly savings and term deposits. We loan only on First Mortgages or Improved Real Estate

See our Local Agents  
A. A. Carman  
or Write Direct to Home Office

The Nevada Loan and Investment Co.  
Reno, Nevada.

### PIOCHE MEAT MARKET.

HENRY LEE, PROP. ETC.

Dealer in  
Fresh Beef, Pork, Mutton,  
Veal, Sausage, Fresh and Salted Fish.

MAIN ST. PIOCHE, NEV.

## EXCURSION RATES TO EASTERN CITIES.

The usual low round trip rates to the east will be available this season from California and Nevada stations of the Salt Lake Route on account of various conventions as follows:

New Haven Conn-Knights of Columbus. Sell May 24, 25, 26. Return limit, August 31. Rates will be announced later.  
Denver, Colo-B. P. O. Elks. Sell July 17, 18, 19. Return limit, Sept 30. Rate \$55.00  
Minneapolis, Minn-G. A. R. Sell Aug 7, 8, 9. Return limit, Oct. 31. Rate \$70.00  
Milwaukee, Wis-Order of Eagles. Sell August 7, 8, 9. Return limit, 90 days. Sell Aug. 7, 8, 9, and September 8, 9 and 10. Return limit, October 31.  
Chicago, Ill. \$72.50 St. Louis, Mo. 67.50 St Paul, Minn. \$70.  
Minneapolis, Minn. 70.00 Kansas City, Mo. Omaha, Mo. Council Bluffs, Ia., 60.00 St Joseph, Mo. 60.00

Tickets will be sold going via Salt Lake Route and connections and returning via entirely different route if desired. For full particulars as to stopoff privileges application should be made to Salt Lake Route agents. The excellent train service and equipment of the Salt Lake Route and great variety of routes offered affords opportunity for an enjoyable trip. Inquiries from prospective travelers will receive prompt attention from agents or T. C. Peck, A. G. P. A., Los Angeles, Cal.

### DRE. R. KEEN.

Physician & Surgeon  
CALIENTE, NEVADA.

### W. S. McRae,

A Sayer & Chemist.  
Pioche, Nevada.